



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Examiner: Harry D. Wilkins, III

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For: PROCESS FOR REFINING RAW COPPER MATERIAL CONTAINING COPPER  
SULFIDE MINERAL

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: August 13, 2007

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 13, 2007, for one month from July 13, 2007 to August 13, 2007.

Please charge Deposit Account 01-2340 the sum of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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